

HICKLIN TALKS FOR PLUMB

He Persists in Trying to Push Through a Contract for Baker Fabric Fire Hose.

Chief Dougherty's Appointments of Firemen Rejected and Eighteen Others Approved—The Street-Railroad Ordinance.

DOINGS OF COUNCIL

Hicklin Again Steps to the Front in Favor of Plumb's Baker Fabric Hose.

The Common Council spent nearly an hour last night in again discussing the fire hose question. At a previous meeting the city clerk was ordered to write for bids from manufacturers of hose, and last night several were reported. One from the Gutta Percha Rubber Hose Company, that manufactures the Baker fabric, quoted four-ply hose, warranted to stand 400 pounds' pressure to the square inch, at 90 cents a foot, while another from the Eureka Fire Hose Company offered hose, two and one-half inches in diameter, at the same price. Councilman Cooper moved at once to refer the bids to the fire committee, but Councilman Hicklin objected. "I am not in favor of the reference," said the latter, "because the Eureka company, which offers us hose at 90 cents to-night, has sold the same quality to other cities for 80 cents. In other words, the Eureka is offering us hose at 90 cents, with 10 per cent. off for cash."

"I wish you would cite an instance," said Councilman Cooper, "where that company offered to take 10 per cent. off its hose."

"Don't you know, Mr. Cooper, that it has been done?" asked Mr. Hicklin.

"No, sir, I do not," Mr. Cooper responded. "Have you never heard of it?"

"I have not."

"There is no use to repeat the discussions we have had on this question," interrupted Councilman Truesler. "I am in favor of referring the bids to a special committee."

"I would like to ask Mr. Truesler," said Mr. Hicklin, "if he does not know it to be a fact that the Eureka company is selling this same hose at 80 cents a foot? And if such is true, I would like to ask him if he does not believe this Council would do the right thing by rejecting its bid?"

"Don't you believe it is?" asked Mr. Hicklin.

"I only have your word for it," replied Mr. Truesler. "You make statements here without furnishing data or a single figure. I want something definite before I am convinced."

"Let me say," said Councilman Olsen, "that I—"

"Oh, sit down," interrupted Mr. Hicklin, as he made a sweeping gesture very near Mr. Olsen's face. "I am not through yet. The Republicans insist that the Eureka company is a marvel of honesty, and that it would never offer us hose for 10 cents more on the foot than it is worth. I would like to have Mr. Gauss read some evidence he has there."

Councilman Gauss, who had been waiting for an opportunity to speak, stepped to unfold a four-page daily paper, printed at Natchez, Miss., containing a report of the proceedings of the Council of that place. The article stated that the Eureka company had offered hose to the Natchez Council at 10 per cent. off.

"That was what you wanted, was it not, Mr. Cooper?" asked Mr. Hicklin.

"No, sir, it was not," replied Mr. Cooper.

"If you will show me a single instance where the Eureka company offers to take 10 per cent. less for the same hose than that offered by the Baker fabric company then I will yield."

Councilman Pearson insisted that the discussion was out of order and that the Council was only considering the reference of bids to the proper committee. Mr. Hicklin read a letter from the city clerk at Natchez addressed to the Eureka company, which supported the article read by Mr. Gauss. Mr. Truesler then took the floor.

"Mr. Hicklin's argument," he said, "is very ingenious and he will probably have the support of the majority here in rejecting the Eureka bid. But I want to tell him that the trouble with the Eureka hose is not that it is inferior, but that it is not what we need. I refer to his action in awarding a contract before the bids were opened. The Baker fabric agent meets Mr. Hicklin on the street and asks him to sign the contract. Mr. Olsen next finds in his scientific books that the Baker fabric hose is superior to the Eureka, and he signs the contract. The city is then supplied because Mr. Hicklin did. That was all they knew about the hose question. Mr. Hicklin's record on hose has been made, and it will stick in the Council for twenty years to come. Now he comes before this Council and tries to vindicate himself."

Councilman Woolen thought the matter ought to be referred to the fire committee, and a motion to that effect prevailed, after the Truesler motion for reference to a special committee had been tabled.

The Fire Department

The majority of the committee on fire department reported unfavorably on the appointments made by Fire Chief Dougherty nearly three months ago. In regard to the appointment of George H. Holdeman as superintendent of fire-alarm telegraph, the majority, Hicklin and Olsen, asked that the matter be deferred and that further time be granted. As to the twelve men that were appointed to service by the Chief, Hicklin and Olsen recommended that they be not confirmed and that in their place the following appointments be made: Dennis Fleming, Andrew Schaub, Orville Duncan, Edward Kent, Jeremiah Ship, Patrick O'Brien, Porter Dinnian, Wadley Riple, John Sullivan, Isaac Baumgartner, Arthur Arnold, Timothy Nolan, Andrew Schaub, Patrick Keating, Mark Bresnan, David Buckley, James Campbell, John Fowles and John Sheridan. The report was approved by a party vote.

The Council, at its last meeting, ordered Chief Dougherty to purchase the supplies without an order from the Council and Board of Aldermen, and also passed resolutions prohibiting firemen from doing outside work. Some of the firemen refused to concur in both measures, and last night the Council decided to abide by its former action in regard to the supply of hose. Some of the firemen spent in discussing the Central Labor Union's petition, Councilman Nolan insisting that a fireman is employed to fight fires and nothing else. Councilman Woolen, Pearson, Cooper and others were opposed to the men doing outside work, except such as did not interfere with their regular duties as firemen and as such, no action was taken on the matter.

Street-Railroad Ordinance

Councilman Yontz, chairman of the committee on railroads, introduced a substitute for the ordinance that was prepared by the Commercial Club and the Board of Trade in regard to the street-railroad question. According to its terms the company's franchise is to be extended until Jan. 1, 1917, with a per cent. of its annual gross earnings to be paid to the city for the benefit of the public park fund. From Jan. 1, 1901, until Jan. 1, 1905, the ordinance provides for the payment of 3 per cent.; from Jan. 1, 1905, until Jan. 1, 1911, 3 per cent.; and from Jan. 1, 1911, until Jan. 1, 1917, 4 per cent. A complete transfer system is provided for within the city limits, the company being compelled to share all street improvements and the route of its tracks and the maximum speed of all rapid-transit cars being fixed at twelve miles an hour.

Protests against the extension of franchise were read from the Socialistic Section, the Central Labor Union, Single-tax League and the Nationalist Club. The ordinance was placed on its first reading.

The Viaduct Matter

A communication from Mr. Ramsey, of the Union Railway Company, which presented the viaduct matter from the latter's standpoint, was read and received. It was as follows:

Having been informed of the resolution of Council ordering the street commissioner to remove certain tracks from the city street, I wish to call your attention to the position of the Union Railway Company regarding that street and the viaduct. This company is ready to be-

gin work on the viaduct at once, provided the question of closing Meridian street is settled by the Supreme Court, which an appeal has been taken to the property-owners; but if the street cannot be closed, a viaduct between South Meridian and Pennsylvania street would be worthless. If the city will select some other street—Pennsylvania, Delaware, or Indiana—where the viaduct will be built, the property-owners will willingly put the viaduct there as soon as the damage can be settled. The railroad company has been sitting idly by while the city has been passing resolutions, but, on the contrary, it has been, and is now, working on a plan which, if possible, will be of more benefit to the city than this viaduct can possibly be. It is, of course, impossible for me (for business reasons) to just wait those plans, but we are anxious that they will be completed inside of sixty days. We would, therefore, ask that you remove the tracks for at least that period of time or the railway company will pay to the city the amount of the viaduct, and the railway company, provided the city will accept that in lieu of the viaduct, and as consideration for the contract between the city and the railway company.

Councilman Yontz moved to grant the request of the company, but the vote was against him. Mayor Sullivan decided it in the affirmative. "If we can get a viaduct on Virginia avenue," he said in explaining his vote, "that is the place for it. I believe this communication means that such a settlement is possible, and a delay of sixty days will not matter either way."

Miscellaneous Business.
A report from the committee on contracts was the cause of an appeal from Mayor Sullivan's decision by a Republican member. Councilman Austin and Olsen, members of the committee, submitted a majority report recommending the construction of a brick sewer along East street from Morris to Downey, but Councilman Steehan sent in a minority report, recommending that the ordinance be not passed. Councilman Markey moved to lay it on the table and the roll was called. In explaining his vote Mr. Steehan said that he was opposed to constructing a sewer which would cost \$15,000, and for which the property-owners would pay no money.

Mr. Truesler raised a point of order, claiming that Mr. Steehan had no right to explain his vote on a motion to lay on the table, because the chair has refused to allow him (Mr. Truesler) speak under similar circumstances several weeks ago. Mayor Sullivan refused to entertain his point of order, and Mr. Truesler went to his seat.

The Chair was sustained in his decision by the following vote: Yeas—Austin, Burns, Cooper, Coy, Gauss, Hicklin, Markey, Martin, Olsen, Pearson, Sherman, Steehan, Sweetland, Weber, Woolen. Nays—Truesler, Davis, Dunn, Myers.

Mr. Steehan's report was then tabled, and Mr. Woolen voting in the negative, and the majority report was adopted.

But little routine business was transacted. The Council decided to attend the Decoration-day ceremonies in a body, and Councilmen Yontz and Martindale were appointed a committee on arrangements.

The finance committee recommended an appropriation of \$200 for the improvement of the Blind Asylum park, which was concurred in. Edward Cavanaugh was appointed park policeman. The office of the city directory was moved to the new building at 100 North of Ohio, which was included in the Tomlinson plan, and was moved there.

Then adjourned to meet next Monday night in special session.

Selected for Fire Service.
The eighteen men who were recommended to positions in the fire department by the Democrats represent a combination of vocations that is at once varied and somewhat peculiar for the line of work proposed for the men named. Nine of them are day laborers, two bartenders, one a salaried keeper, one a brakeman and one a cigar-maker, while the others do not appear in the city directory as residents of Indianapolis.

A NEW BUILDING ORDINANCE.
One That Provides for All Details of Construction and Inspection.

It was the intention of City Attorney Taylor to introduce an ordinance on Council last night providing for several important changes in the matter of the erection and inspection of buildings within the city limits. Under the present system all permits are issued by the city clerk, but it is proposed in the new ordinance that all persons contemplating building shall first apply to the Board of Public Improvement for a permit and shall submit to it a full and complete description of the buildings to be put up. The fire chief and the board are to have full power to inspect all buildings now standing or in process of erection.

In regard to details of construction several important conditions are proposed. All four-story business buildings that are more than one hundred feet deep shall have a basement, and shall have a twenty-four inches thick for basement, seventeen inches for first and second stories, and twelve inches for third and fourth stories.

For five-story business buildings that are more than one hundred feet deep, the walls shall have a twenty-four inches thick for basement, twenty-eight inches thick for first story, twenty inches thick for second and third stories, and twelve inches for fourth and fifth stories. Similar walls for four-story business buildings shall be twenty-four inches for basement, twenty inches for first and second stories, and twelve inches for third and fourth stories. For two-story business buildings similar walls shall be eighteen inches for basement, twelve inches for first and second stories, provided that any front or rear wall supporting girders shall be increased four inches in thickness by two feet for every two stories or pilasters directly under such girders.

The height of stories for all given thicknesses of walls must not exceed eleven feet in the clear for the basement, eighteen feet for the first story, fifteen feet for the second and fourteen feet for the third, fourth and fifth stories. For violation of these provisions a fine of \$100 is to be imposed.

The hasty adjournment of Council prevented the introduction of the ordinance, and it will come up for discussion next Monday night.

A Lodge without a Charter.
The Independent Sons and Daughters of Honor, an insurance order of colored people, is having trouble with a lodge that is led by Mrs. Eliza Thornton, who came here from Louisville a year ago. She was, it is said, the presiding officer of a lodge in that city, and sympathized with another organization which was expelled by the national order for insubordination. When Mrs. Thornton came here she organized a lodge, preferring to follow that course to secure admission to either of the two local Daughters of Honor lodges. She proposes to apply to the expelled Kentucky organization for a charter. Her lodge was reported to the State officers of the order, but failing to effect anything with them the case was referred to the national officers, who ordered the lodge published as irregular and beyond the pale of recognition by any true Son or Daughter of Honor.

High-Schools of the State.
The State Board of Education was in session last evening, all the members being in attendance excepting Governor Hovey. Reports were received on visitations to the following high-schools: Jeffersonville, Seymour, Brownstown, Spencer, Michigan City, LaPorte, Auburn, Huntington, Ellettsville, Noblesville, Princeton, Ellettsville, Vincennes, Winamac and Mount Vernon. The reports indicated that the high-schools at these places were in excellent condition. A number of other subjects were discussed informally, after which the board adjourned at 9 o'clock this morning. At that time the question of grading the manual training schools was discussed, and a number of applicants for State, life and professional licenses will come up for discussion and action.

NEW YORK NEARING THE TOP

Another Victory Over Cleveland Won by a Timely Hit in the Ninth Inning.

Other National League, Brotherhood and Association Games—Contests of Hoosier Clubs—Racing at Louisville and Gravesend.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

New York Gains Another Hung in the Championship Ladder by Defeating Cleveland.

NEW YORK, May 19.—A costly error by Stockwell and Esterbrook's two-base hit enabled the New Yorkers to beat the Clevelanders in an exciting game this afternoon. Attendance, 262. Score:

New York.....0 1 0 0 1 0 1 0 2-5
Cleveland.....0 0 0 3 1 0 0 0-4
Hits—Cleveland, 7; New York, 10. Errors—Cleveland, 5; New York, 3. Batteries—Cleveland, Beatin and Zimmer; New York, Welch and Murphy. First base on balls—By Welch, 2; by Beatin, 2. Hit by pitched ball—Denny, 2. Struck out—Esterbrook, Denny, Gilks, Zimmer, 1. Sacrifices—Zimmer, 1. Passed balls—Zimmer. Time—1:55. Umpires—Powers and Zacharias.

BROOKLYN, 18; PITTSBURG, 3

NEW YORK, May 19.—The Pittsburghs had an off day at Brooklyn to-day. The heavy rain of the early afternoon made ball-playing doubtful, and only 383 people attended the game. Score:

Brooklyn.....4 0 0 1 1 4 5 3-18
Pittsburg.....0 2 0 0 0 0 0 0-2

Hits—Pittsburg, 7; Brooklyn, 10. Errors—Pittsburg, 11; Brooklyn, 2. Batteries—Schmidt and Wilson; Carubers and Daly. Umpire—Lynch.

CHICAGO, 7; BOSTON, 2

BOSTON, May 19.—The Chicagoers easily won the game to-day. In the fifth inning Clark and arm gave out and he should have retired, but on the contrary he kept on and was hit in every inning thereafter. Attendance, 1,800. Score:

Chicago.....2 0 2 0 1 0 1 7-7
Boston.....0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0-2

Hits—Pittsburg, 11; Boston, 5. Errors—Chicago, 2; Boston, 3. Batteries—Hutchinson and Kitzinger; Clarkson and Harfield. Umpire—McDer-mott.

CINCINNATI, 9; PHILADELPHIA, 6

PHILADELPHIA, May 19.—The Philadelphia club dropped another game to Cincinnati to-day by miserable fielding. Attendance, 2,207. Score:

Cincinnati.....0 0 0 0 3 1 1 3-9
Philadelphia.....0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0-6

Hits—Cincinnati, 14; Philadelphia, 12. Errors—Cincinnati, 2; Philadelphia, 4. Batteries—Rhines and Baldwin, Smith and Clements. Umpire McQuaid.

NEW PITCHER FOR CLEVELAND

CLEVELAND, O., May 19.—The Cleveland National League club to-day signed Garfield, who pitched for Pittsburgh 0-1 in a time last summer. He will not play until the team returns from the East.

BROTHERHOOD CLUBS

Pittsburg Outplayed by Philadelphia, and Beaten by a Score of 16 to 3.
PHILADELPHIA, May 19.—The Philadelphia Players' League club outplayed and outfielded the Pittsburg brotherhood team to-day, and won by the one-sided score of 16 to 3. Galvin's pitching just suited the Philadelphia men. High wind made it difficult for the visitors, who did not do much. The attendance was 1,343. Score:

Philadelphia.....4 0 0 0 1 2 3 0-16
Pittsburg.....0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0-3

Hits—Philadelphia, 14; Pittsburg, 5. Errors—Philadelphia, 5; Pittsburg, 10. Batteries—Cunningham and Milligan; Galvin and Carroll. Umpires—Lynch and Mathew.

BROOKLYN, 6; CHICAGO, 0

BROOKLYN, May 19.—By defeating the Chicago team the fourth time Brooklyn to-day tied with Boston for first place in the Players' League. Attendance 492. Score:

Brooklyn.....2 0 1 0 0 2 0 1-6
Chicago.....0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0-0

Hits—Brooklyn, 10; Chicago, 0. Errors—Brooklyn, 2; Chicago, 4. Batteries—Weyhing and Kinslow; Baldwin and Bortle. Umpires—Barnes and Gaffney.

NEW YORK, 12; BUFFALO, 11

NEW YORK, May 19.—Heavy hitting at the right time won to-day's Players' League game from Buffalo for New York. Rain fell until 8 o'clock and the grounds were in bad condition. Attendance 578. Score:

New York.....0 0 0 0 1 0 1 1-12
Buffalo.....0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0-11

Hits—New York, 13; New York, 12. Errors—Buffalo, 6; New York, 4. Batteries—Haddock and Mack; O'Day and Ewing. Umpires—Holbert and Ferguson.

BOSTON, 14; CLEVELAND, 3

BOSTON, May 19.—Boston won easily the Players' League game to-day. Daily being a perfect stumbling-block to Cleveland. Attendance, 1,000. Score:

Boston.....0 2 2 1 1 1 1 1-14
Cleveland.....0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0-3

Hits—Boston, 13; Cleveland, 5. Errors—Boston, 2; Cleveland, 10. Batteries—Daly and Kelley; Baskely and Sutcliffe. Umpires—Jones and Knight.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION

St. Louis Defeated by Rochester and Louisville by the Athletics—Rain Elsewhere.
At Rochester—Rochester.....1 0 2 0 2 1 0 0-6
St. Louis.....0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0-0
At Louisville—Louisville.....0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0-1
Rochester, 1; St. Louis, 7. Errors—Rochester, 1; St. Louis, 7. Batteries—Barr and McGuire; Ramsey and Earle. Umpire—Barum.

At Philadelphia—Athletics.....0 3 0 0 3 2 2 0-11
Philadelphia.....0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0-3
Hits—Athletics, 12; Louisville, 7. Errors—Athletics, 2; Louisville, 6. Batteries—McMahon and Goadall; Goodall and Weckbecker. Umpire—Descher.

Toledo at Brooklyn and Columbus at Syracuse were to play on May 20, but were postponed on account of rain and wet grounds.

Claimed by Toledo.
BROOKLYN, May 19.—Toledo will claim to-day's Brooklyn game. Captain Fennelly is said to have overruled his interpretation of rule 20, Section 1 of the rules, when he claimed the ground until to play on. It had not rained, and the grounds were in fine condition. There were but a few persons in attendance, and that probably decided the management to take advantage of the rain rule. Toledo was on hand and had taken its practice.

INDIANA LEAGUE

Last Game of the Series Contributed by Elkhart to the Bluffton Players.
Special to the Indianapolis Journal.
ELKHART, May 19.—The last game of the series between Elkhart and Bluffton took place to-day, but was distinguished by no particular features. As usual the home team was defeated. A good-sized crowd was present. Score:

Elkhart.....0 1 0 0 0 4 0 0-11
Bluffton.....0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0-11

Hits—Elkhart, 6; Bluffton, 9. Errors—Elkhart, 8; Bluffton, 2. Batteries—Elkhart, Bennett and Powers; Thompson and Martin. Bluffton, Coles and Brandenburg. Umpire—Sullivan.

Straightening Out the Penn Club

Special to the Indianapolis Journal.
PENN., May 19.—The second game with Fort Wayne was postponed until to-morrow on account of rain. At a meeting of the directors of the Penn club this afternoon, Raffert, the new catcher from the Lafayette team, was signed, and Ira Stewart, second baseman, was promoted to the position of assistant manager and captain, vice Ferral relegated to the ranks and made short-stop. This, with other changes, was a surprise to the fans, as Ferral, in his first game, was suspended yesterday. It is thought will again place Penn toward the top rank. Moock, the suspended pitcher, to-day, under the board of directors, begged for one more trial, and stated his wish to play ball. It is probable that one more trial will be given him. J. H. Johnson will for the present continue as manager.

Heavy Bating at Terre Haute

Special to the Indianapolis Journal.
TERRE HAUTE, May 19.—Two home runs and many such hits made to-day's Inter-

state League game a slugging match. There was much confusion and the umpire imposed many fines. Score:

Terre Haute.....2 3 5 0 4 0 1 0-15
Galesburg.....4 0 3 0 4 0 1 1-13

Hits—Terre Haute, 15; Galesburg, 14. Errors—Terre Haute, 6; Galesburg, 3. Earned runs—Terre Haute, 12; Galesburg, 10. Batters—Terre Haute, Donnan and Kelly; Galesburg, James, Wedding and Donovan.

LOCAL BASE-BALL

Two League Games to Be Played Here by New York and Cleveland.

Indianapolis is going to have League base-ball after all—that is a small dose of it. Two of the games scheduled for Cleveland, between the New Yorks and the Tom Lofins aggregation, are to be transferred to this city so that it cannot be said the Hoosier capital was altogether slighted. The games will be played here early in July, upon the occasion of the first visit West of the Eastern clubs, and the real reason for the transfer seems to be to avoid a conflict with race dates. Henry Boyle is taking an active interest in the arrangement, and expects to be able to take the box for one of the games, while Rustie will pitch the other. Boyle will remain here a short time, and if his arm does not improve will go to Mount Clemens, Mich., for relief. The New York and Cleveland teams will make money by the transfer of the two games, as the attendance is sure to be large.

Base-Ball Notes

Muncie will release its "phenomenal" pitcher, Gallagher. His arm has given out. Harry Smith was canvassing yesterday for stock for a Western players' league team here.

The News team will go to Charleston, Ill., this morning for two games with the club there this afternoon and to-morrow. Detroit may take Brooklyn's place in the Association this evening, if so the International League is liable to go to the wall.

The Indianapolis amateur club has organized with the following players: Marshall, pitchers; O'Brien, first; Barrett, second; Biglow, third; Miller, short; Cook, left; Seale, center; Chendron, right. The club will play its first game next Sunday at Broad Ripple with the Original Eagles, and would like to hear from any team in the city. Address Joe Baldus, No. 219 Massachusetts avenue.

EVENTS OF THE WEEK

Riley Again Proves His Worth by Capturing the Clark stakes at Louisville.
LOUISVILLE, Ky., May 19.—The fifth day of the Louisville spring meeting was a repetition of the Derby day, a constant pour-down of rain, making the track a sea of mud and the time poor. The most important event on the programme was the Clark stakes, and only three horses faced the starter. A good track would have brought out all the Derby candidates except Prince Fonso, who was shipped to Chicago last Saturday to win the rich Derby prize there. The attendance was very good, considering the weather.

First Race—McCampbell handicap, sweepstake; all ages; \$400 added; one mile and seventy yards. To a good start J. B. Freed jumped in the lead. Passing the stand the race was J. B. Freed, Polemus second, and the others close up. Freed maintained the lead to the back stretch, where Newcastle came in, but was unable to pass. The finish: Ora second, Consolation third. Time, 1:23.2.

Second Race—Selling; purse, \$400; for three-year-olds. The race was a struggle from start to finish. Katuna showed first, Ora second, Black Knight third. Rounding into the stretch the order was Katuna, Ora and Newcastle. Katuna won after a fighting finish; Ora second, Consolation third. Time, 1:07.

Third Race—Clark stakes; for three-year-olds; one and one-fourth miles. Passing the stand Robespierre was first by half a length; Lether second, Riley one-half length back. At the half Robespierre was still in the lead. Lether and Riley neck-and-neck. At the three-quarters Riley forged ahead by a length; Robespierre second and Riley whipping. From this on Riley was in the lead, passing the stand easily; Robespierre, being severely punished, landed second, two lengths away, Lether third. Time, 2:04.4.

Fourth Race—Selling; \$400; weights; for all ages; one mile. The third attempt Nina Archer got off first, Eugenia second, Liederkrantz third. At the half Nina Archer was in the lead, followed by Eugenia. In the stretch G. W. took the lead and won easily by two lengths; Liederkrantz two lengths in front of Ed Hopper. Quinn Victoria and McCullough last. Time, 1:51.

Fifth Race—Purse \$400; for two-year-olds; four and a half furlongs. Pennyroyal pulled away from the stretch, taking the lead close pressed to the finish, beating Runningbrook only half a length, Sanford third, by a length. Time, 1:32.4.

Results at Gravesend Park

GRAVESEND, May 19.—This was the fourth day of the spring meeting and for the first time the track was in good shape. It had dried out well since Saturday and was quite fast. The feature of the card was the Seaside stakes for two-year-olds, and it furnished a good contest.

First Race—One mile. Her Highness won handily by a length and a half, while Adamant beat Tulla Blackburn two lengths. Time, 1:45.4.

Second Race—Handicap sweepstakes of \$25 each, or \$5 if declared, with \$1,000 added; one mile. Strideaway won by a length from Frodo, who beat King Crab by half a length for the place. Time, 1:42.

Third Race—The Seaside stakes; for two-year-olds; \$50 each, with \$1,250 added; five furlongs. Lether was ridden by Littlefield, and Terrier with Garrison in the saddle, were first and second choice, respectively, and at the end they had the finish to themselves. Lether won by the length, and Terrier, managed to squeeze Terrier for the post first by a head, and thus the Morris stable ran one, two. The rest were strung out. Time, 1:38.3.

Fourth Race—A sweepstakes of \$20 each for two-year-olds, with \$1,000 added; five furlongs. Eclipse won by half a length, while Lether beat Harry a like distance. Time, 1:32.4.

Fifth Race—A sweepstakes of \$20 each, with \$750 added; one mile. In a driving race Lether won by a head, while Monmouth beat Long Branch ten lengths for the place. Time, 1:43.2.

Sixth Race—Heavy-weight handicap sweepstakes of \$20 each, or \$5 if declared, with \$1,000 added; six furlongs. Lether won by a neck from Tanner, who beat Kason two lengths for second place. Time, 1:13.7.

THE COURT RECORD

SUPERIOR COURT.
Room 1—Hon. Napoleon B. Taylor, Judge.
John M. Bohmie vs. Indianapolis Car and Motor Manufacturing Company. From Circuit Court. Trial by jury.

Room 2—Hon. D. W. Howe, Judge.
James W. Hedrick vs. C. C. C. & St. L. Railway Company. Damages. On trial by jury.

Room 3—Hon. Lewis C. Walker, Judge.
James Jerman vs. Charles A. Dale et al.; damages. Trial by jury.

CIRCUIT COURT.
Hon. Livingston Howland, Judge.
Sarah Johnson vs. Mary Willey; slander. Trial by jury. New Suit Filed.

David Springer vs. William S. Eaton; note, demand, \$300.
Martha A. Hensley vs. Henry J. Prier et al.; for maldie.

Notes from the Courts

Fannie Haase, of No. 384 North New Jersey street, was adjudged insane yesterday. She is twenty-nine years of age and has a tendency to sell all of her furniture, which she is assured with her husband. Sarah Johnson was before Judge Howland yesterday with a \$1,000 damage suit against Mary Willey who, she claims, slandered her. The complaint alleges that the defendant made charges of a serious character against Mrs. Johnson's occupation.

Object to Road-side Resorts